



# **US LHC Accelerator Research Program** ***brookhaven - fermilab - berkeley***

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# Goals of the US LARP

## Advance High Energy Physics

- Help bring the LHC on and up to design performance quickly.
- Improve LHC performance by advances in understanding and instrumentation.
- Use LHC as a tool to gain deeper knowledge of accelerator science and technology.
- Extend LHC as a frontier HEP instrument with a timely luminosity upgrade.

## Advance U.S. Accelerator Science and Technology

- Keep skills sharp by helping commission the LHC.
- Conduct forefront AP research and development.
- Advance U.S. capabilities to improve the performance of our own machines.
- Prepare U.S. scientists to design the next generation hadron collider.
- Develop technologies necessary for the next generation of hadron colliders.

## *Advance International Cooperation in the High Energy Accelerators*



# Overview of the Technical Program

- Help commission the hardware delivered by the US LHC Accelerator Project and later by the LARP
- Help commission the LHC with initial beam.
- Develop and build new instruments that will improve the operation of the LHC and help us perform accelerator physics experiments.
- Use the LHC to perform experiments and test calculations and theories of fundamental accelerator science.
- Perform accelerator physics studies and advanced magnet R&D that will result in the IR designs and prototype IR magnets for a timely LHC luminosity upgrade.



## Schedule – Commissioning and Instrumentation

The LARP schedule is driven by the LHC schedule:

- August 2004 – Installation of US-provided equipment begins.
- April 2005 – Hardware commissioning of 1<sup>st</sup> US-provided IR.
- April 2006 – Sector test with beam.
- April 2007 – First beam in LHC.
- July 2007 – First LHC collisions.
- 2007 - 2010 – LHC luminosity rises towards design value.

⇒ Hardware commissioning activity peaks 2005-2007.

⇒ Beam commissioning peaks 2007-2009.

Preparations must start in 2004 to allow us to be fully integrated with CERN so we can have maximum impact.

⇒ Beam instrumentation R&D must start *now* so that the instruments we develop contribute to the efficient commissioning the LHC.



## Schedule – Accelerator Physics and Upgrades

- 2007 - 2010 – LHC luminosity rises towards design value.
- 2011 - ... – LHC runs at asymptotic performance parameters.

⇒ LHC will be the **forefront vehicle** for high energy hadron accelerator physics **as soon as it is operational**.

**Fundamental accelerator physics research** based on the LHC must start well before this so that we are **ready to exploit this opportunity**.

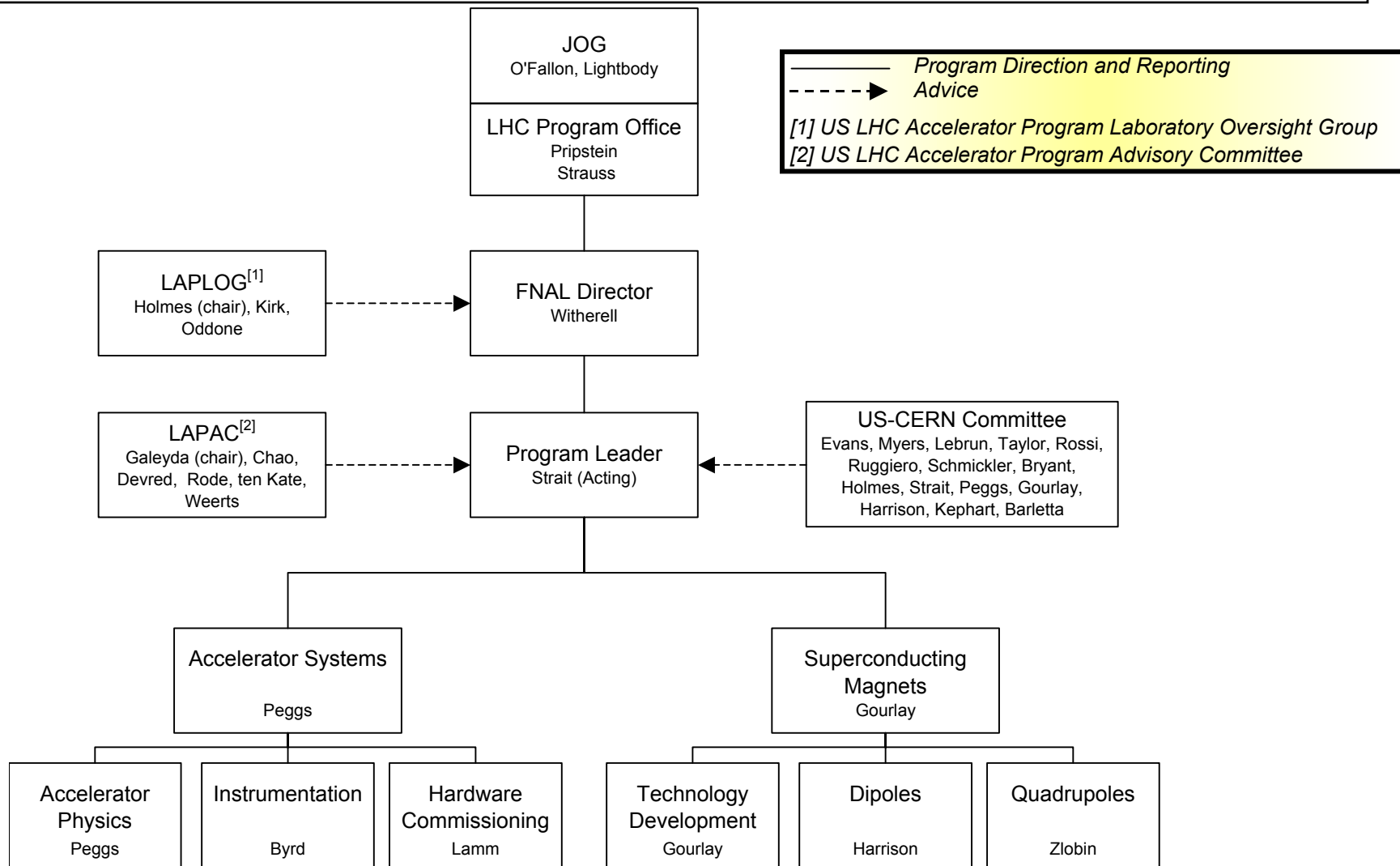
⇒ **Significant upgrades** to the LHC and its experiments will be required **by the middle of the next decade** to extend its physics reach and keep its physics program productive.

**Extensive R&D** will be required to develop the **accelerator physics understanding** and the **beyond-the-state-of-the-art technologies** required to push the LHC beyond its already demanding parameters.

... **This R&D must start now** to ensure we are ready for the upgrades.

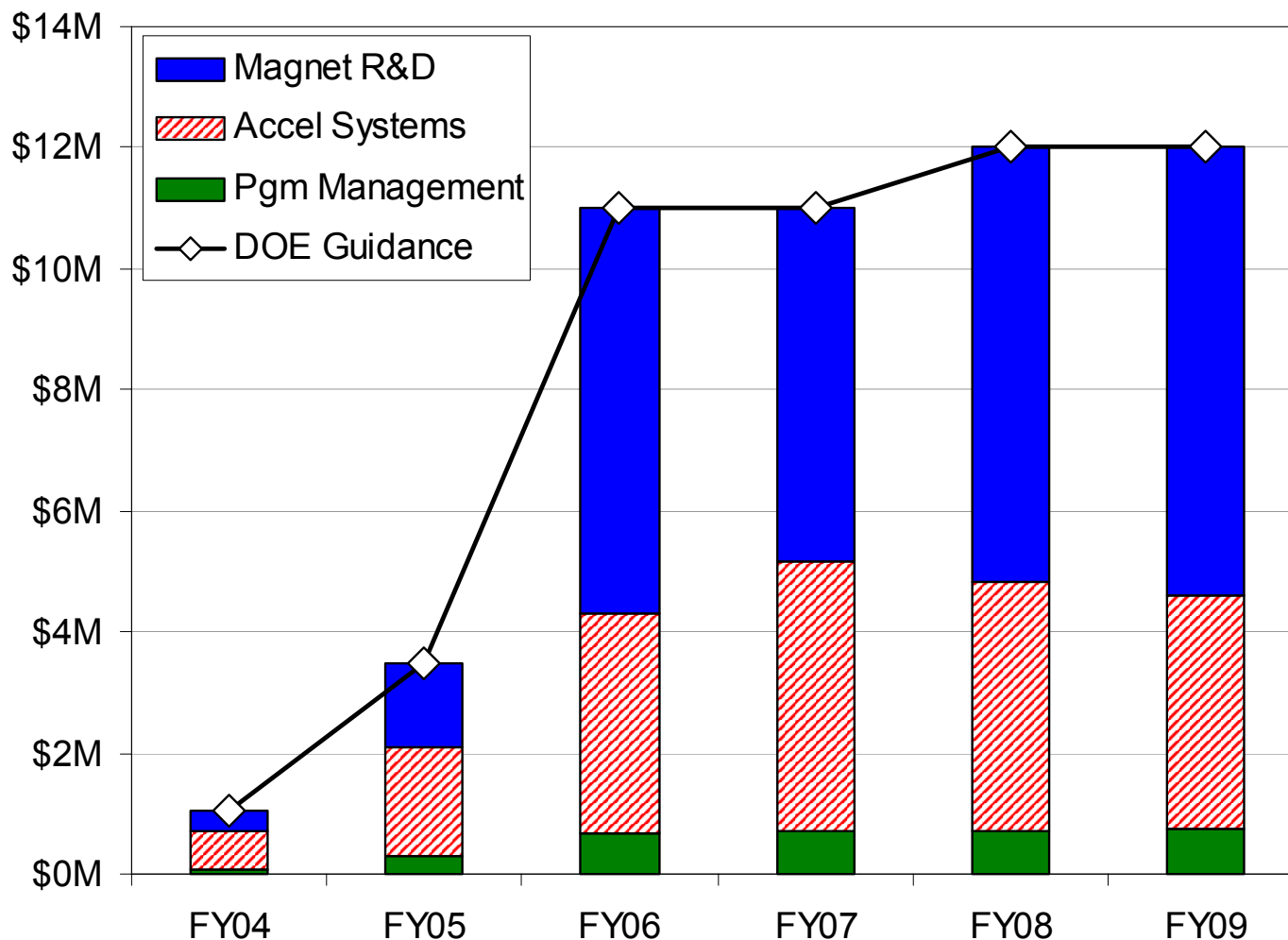


# Organization and Management





# Budget





# FY2004 Budget

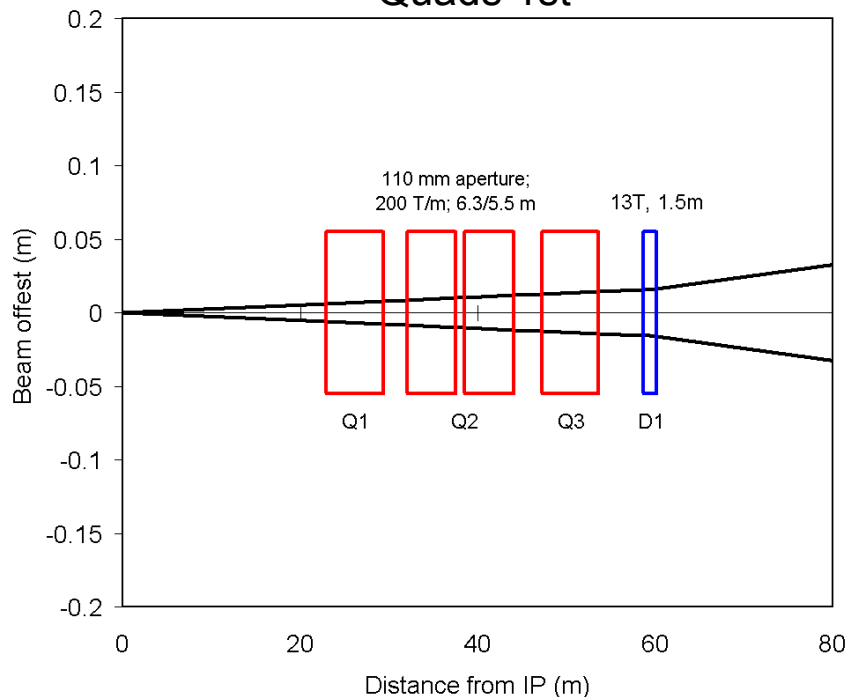
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	FTE	M&S (k\$)	Total (k\$)				
Totals	5.7	141	1250	330	329	471	120
"Beams Div"				170	141	296	
"Magnet Div"				160	188	175	
Accelerator Systems	3.7	107	837	203	185	329	120
Instrumentation	1.5	82	380	69	69	242	0
Tune feedback	0.5	41	138	69	69		
Luminometer	0.6	41	162			162	
LDM	0.4		80			80	
Accel Phys	1.5	15	181	55	72	54	
Beam Comm	0.2	2	46	46			
Collimation			120				120
Hdw Comm	0.5	8	110	33	44	33	
Magnet R&D	1.6	29	325	105	100	120	
Technology Dev	1.2	29	245	65	60	120	
Quad design	0.2		40		40		
Dipole design	0.2		40	40			
Program Management	0.4	5	88	22	44	22	



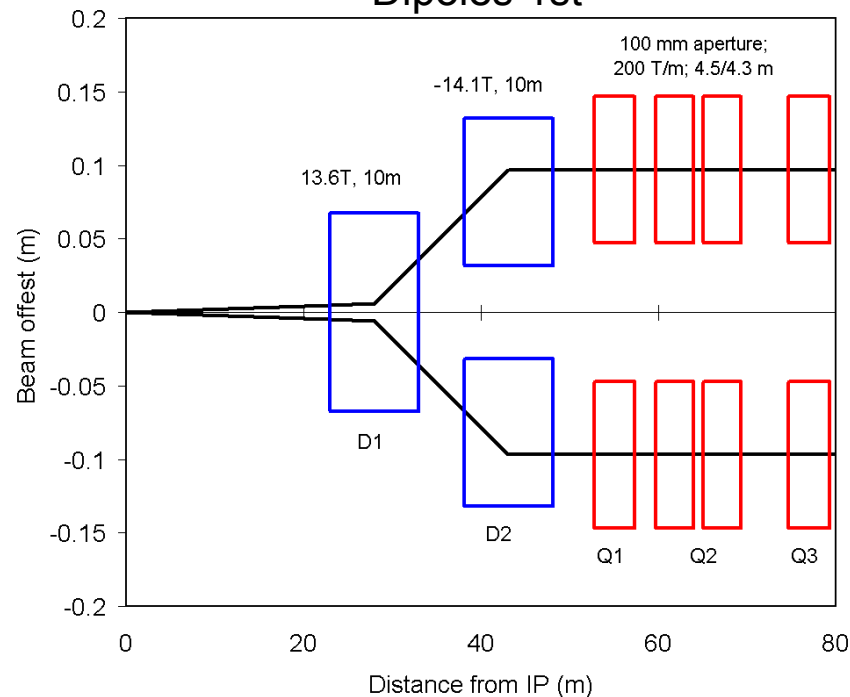


# New IRs: “Straightforward” Designs

Quads 1st



Dipoles 1st

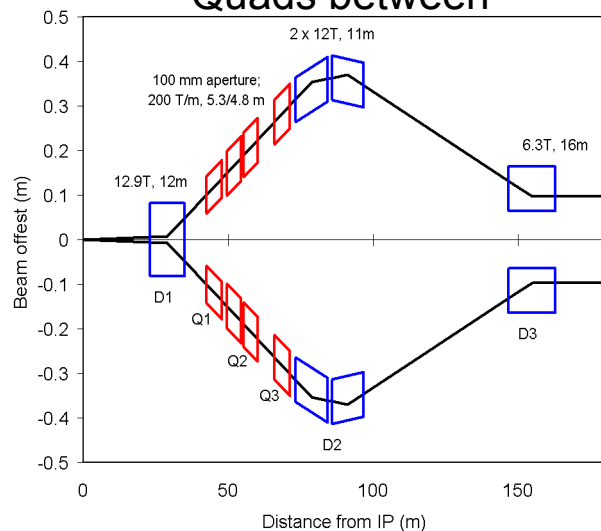


J. Strait, et al., Towards a New LHC Interaction Region Design for a Luminosity Upgrade, PAC 2003.

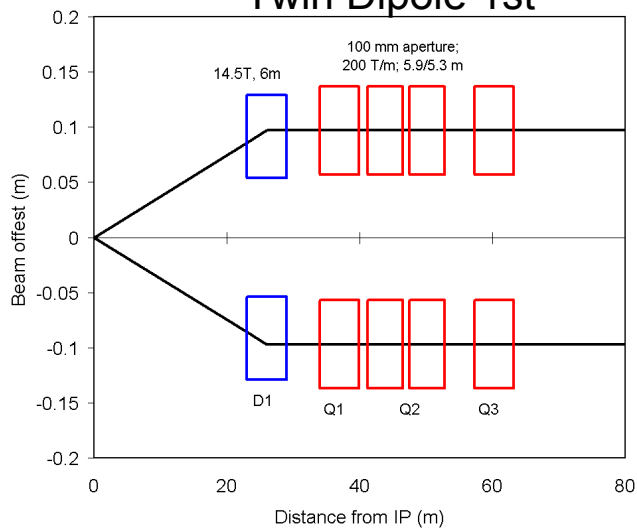


# New IRs: Alternate Designs

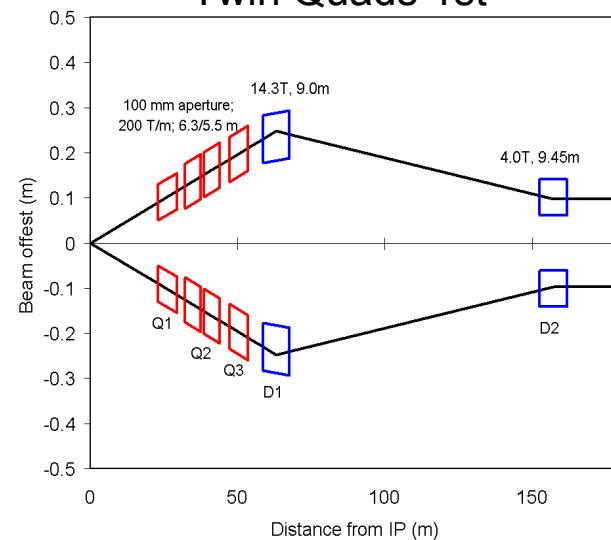
## Quads between



## Twin Dipole 1st



## Twin Quads 1st





## Preliminary IR Design Studies

Table 1: IR Parameters

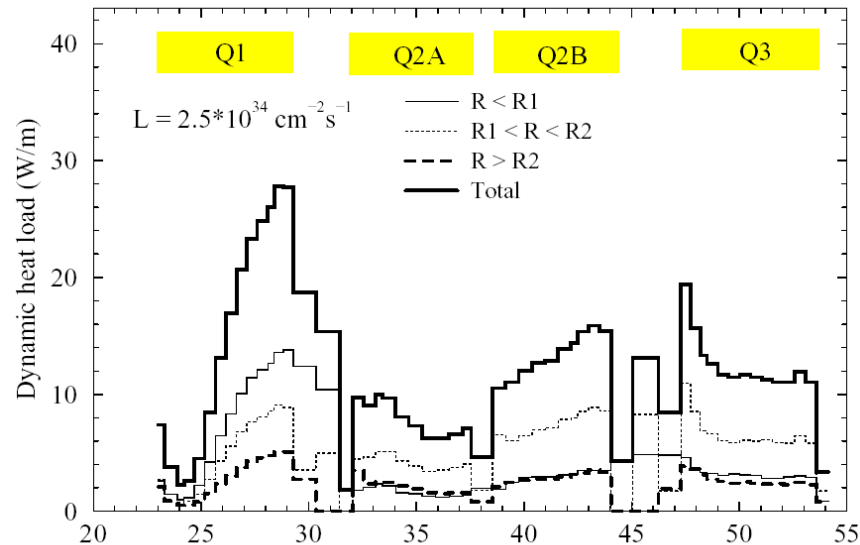
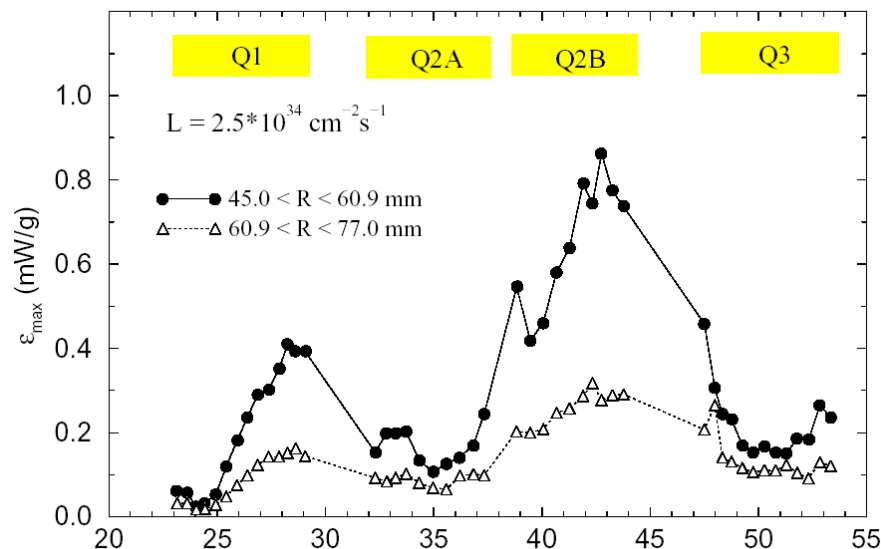
	Base-line	Quad 1st	Dipoles 1st	Quad between	Twin D 1st	Twin Q 1st
IP to Q1 (m)	23	23	52.8	42.5	34	23
$D_{\text{quad}}$ (mm)	70	110	100	100	100	100
$\beta^*_{\text{min}}$ (cm)	50	16	26	19	15	10
$\beta_{\text{max}}$ (km)	5	15	23	23	23	23
$B_{D1}$ (T)	2.75	15.3	15	14.6	14.5	14.3
$L_{D1}$ (m)	9.45	1.5	10	12	6	9
$D_{D1}$ (mm)	80	110	135	165	75	105
$\theta_{\text{cross}}$ (mrad)	0.30	0.53	0.42	0.49	7.5	7.8



# Energy Deposition

Energy deposition and radiation are *major* issues for new IRs.

- In quad-first IR,  $E_{\text{dep}}$  increases both with  $L$  and with quad aperture.
  - $\epsilon_{\text{max}} > 4 \text{ mW/g}$ ,  $(P/L)_{\text{max}} > 120 \text{ W/m}$ ,  $P_{\text{triplet}} > 1.6 \text{ kW}$   
for  $\mathcal{L} = 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ .
  - Radiation lifetime for G11CR  $< 6$  months at hottest spots.

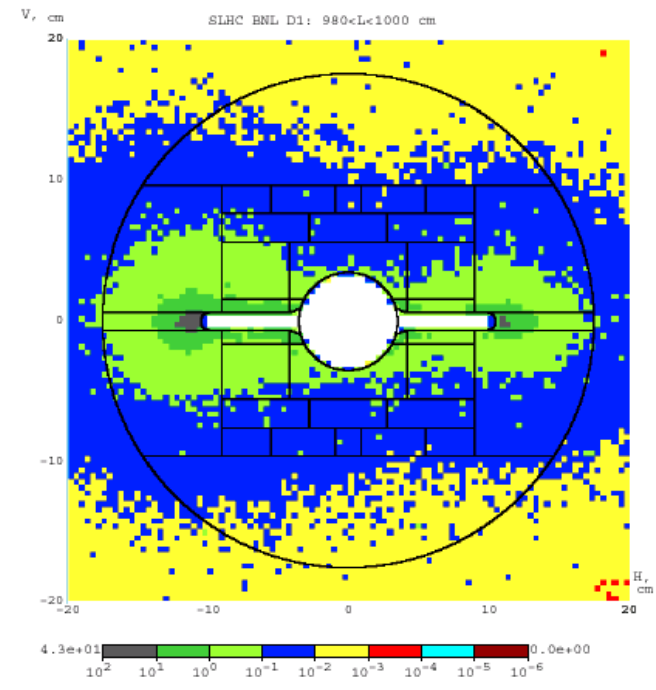
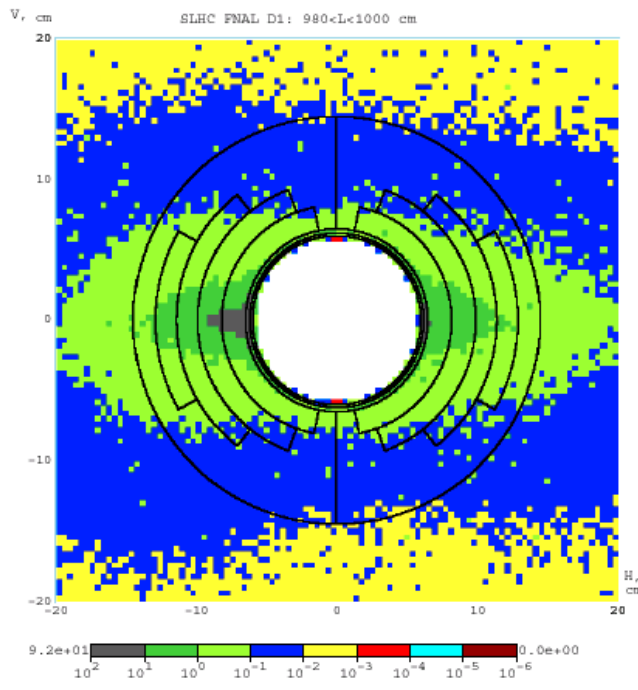


T. Sen, et al., Beam Physics Issues for a Possible 2<sup>nd</sup> Generation LHC IR, EPAC 2002.



# Energy Deposition

- Problem is even more severe for dipole-first IR.
  - $\varepsilon_{\max}$  on mid-plane  $\sim 50$  mW/g;  $P_{\text{dipole}} \sim 3.5$  kW for  $\mathcal{L} = 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ .
  - “Exotic” magnet designs may be required, whose feasibility is not known.



N.V. Mokhov, et al., Energy Dep.Limits in a Separation Dipole in Front of the LHC High-L Inner Triplet, PAC 2003.



## Magnet R&D Questions

- What is the maximum  $D_{\text{quad}}$  for  $G > 200$  T/m?
- What is the maximum  $D_{\text{quad}}$  in a dual-bore quadrupole with 194 mm spacing?
- Can dipoles be made to operate as high as 15 T in the extreme radiation environment at very high luminosity?
- How can the many kW of beam power be removed from the cryogenic magnets for a tolerable cost?
- Are non-parallel axis dual-bore quadrupoles feasible?
- Can good field quality be maintained over the full operating range in very high field, dual-bore dipoles with parallel field directions?
- How can the required very strong correctors (linear and non-linear) correctors be made?



# LARP Magnet Program

- **Develop Magnet Technology for LHC Luminosity Upgrade**
  - Enhance physics opportunities at the LHC
  - Provide tools to AP for optimal IR design
- **An ambitious program focusing on Nb<sub>3</sub>Sn**
  - Large-aperture quadrupoles
    - **Required in all IR upgrade scenarios under consideration**
  - Large-aperture, high-field, beam-separation dipoles
    - **Required in most IR upgrade scenarios under consideration**
- **Production-ready IR component designs by 2012**



# Program Strategy and Structure

- Extend and quantify limits on key performance parameters
- Issue-driven program designed to develop an enabling technology base for LHC upgrades
- 2003 – 05
  - Technology, simple models
- 2006 – 09
  - More complex models ( $\sim 3/\text{yr}$ )
- 2010 – 12
  - Accelerator-ready prototype

Technology Development – LBNL  
Quadrupoles – FNAL, LBNL  
Dipoles – BNL, LBNL





# R&D Strategy

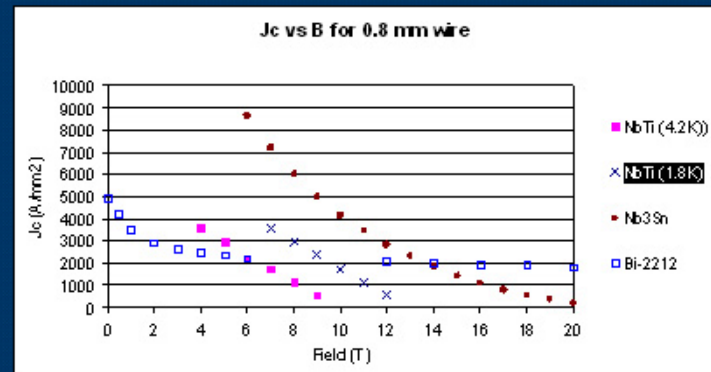
- Main Issues

- High fields and gradients
- Large beam-induced heat loads

$\text{Nb}_3\text{Sn}$



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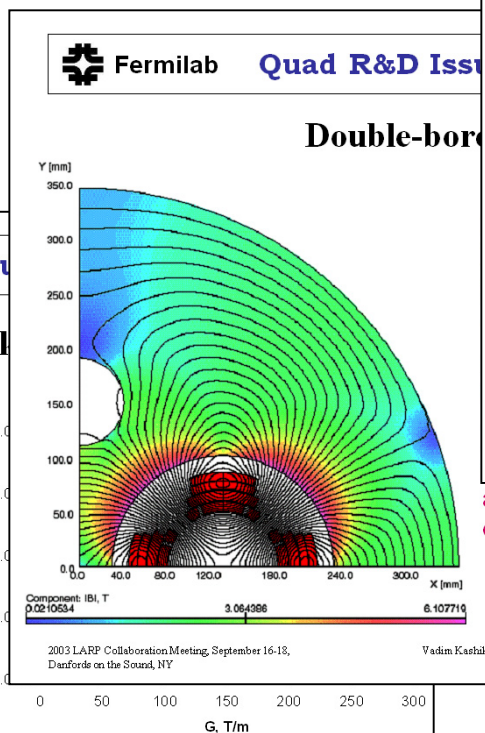
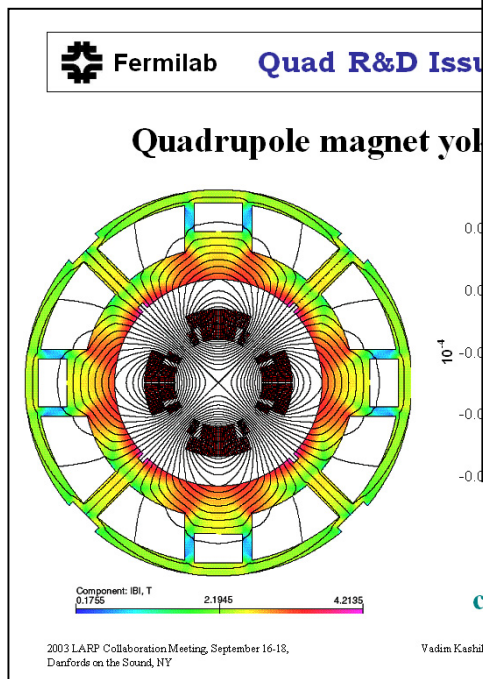
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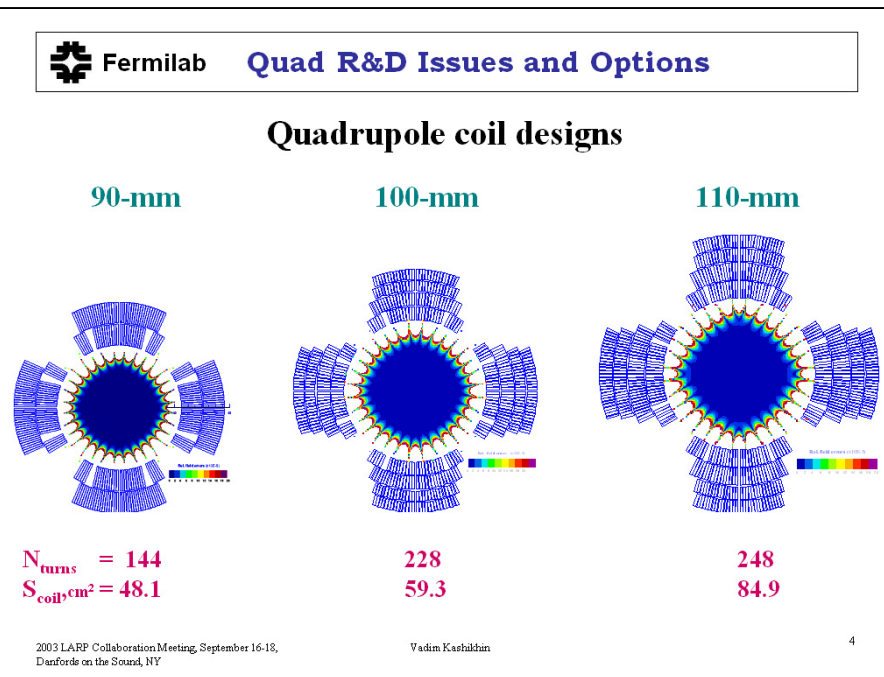


# IR Upgrade Quadrupole Design Studies

Fermilab is looking at relatively conventional designs.



Yoke saturation can be controlled by hole optimization



asymmetry and a large number of wedges

Max aperture for good field quality?  
Coil cooling; cold mass cooling?



# IR Upgrade Quadrupole Design Studies

LBNL is looking at alternate designs and assembly methods.

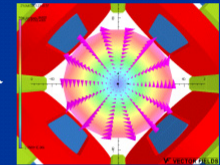


## Racetrack Quads for the LHC IR?

A) for the ultimate LHC IR application

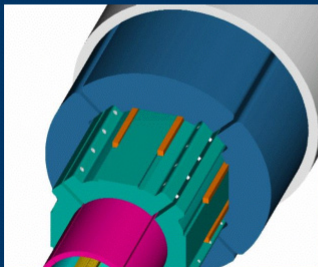
- (-) Low magnetic efficiency wrt  $\cos 2\theta$ /block
- (-) Field quality is more difficult to optimize

if aperture is measured at the midplane →  
with nested coils (Gupta, ASC-02)  
extensive fabrication



## Technology Development Proposal

- **Rapid, cost-effective start using existing techniques and infrastructure**
  - Support structure based on LBNL bladder and key assembly technique
  - Use existing D20 tooling for 2-layer coils



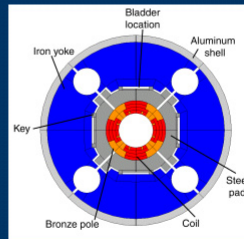
Phase I<sub>a</sub> – Mechanical Studies

Phase I<sub>b</sub> – 2-layer coil

142 T/m  
120 mm bore

Phase I<sub>c</sub> – 4-layer coil

230 T/m  
90 mm bore



## Technology development

integrates with the SM program and the bladder/key structure  
effective method to investigate:  
quality and related mechanical issues  
materials, thermal, quench protection studies

BERKELEY LAB

6-18, 2003

Superconducting Magnet Program

Gian Luca Sabbi

**Block coil designs.**

**Bladder and key assembly method.**





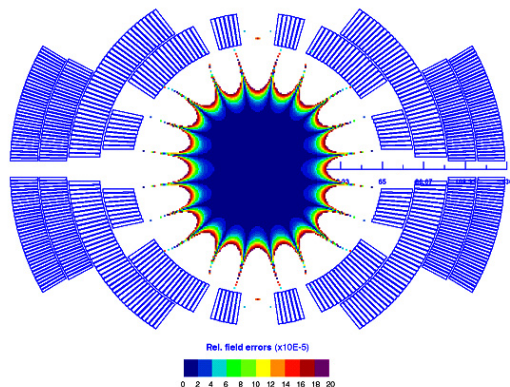
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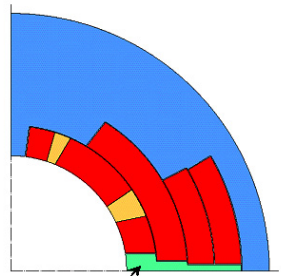
FNAL LARP Dipole R&D

## Dipole coil design II

$D_{\text{bore}} = 130 \text{ mm}$ ,  $J_c(12\text{T}, 4.2 \text{ K}) = 3000 \text{ A/mm}^2$



$B_{q\_bore} = 15.8 \text{ T}$   
 $N_{\text{turns}} = 282$   
 $S_{\text{coil}} = 119.1 \text{ cm}^2$



2003 LARP Collaboration Meeting, September 16-18,  
 Danfords on the Sound, NY

Vadim Kashikhin

Cold-iron,  $\cos \theta$  design  
 $\Rightarrow$  cooling?

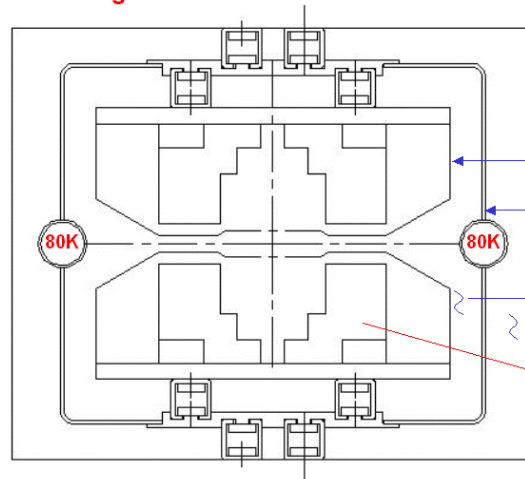
Warm-iron, open mid-plane design  
 $\Rightarrow$  mechanics? field quality?

Energy deposition on the coil mid-plane (kW's!) is the **big** challenge.

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 Superconducting  
 Magnet Division

## Support Structure for Warm Iron Concept (As Presented at Archamps)

### Design #2



Dump energy in a  
 relatively warmer structure  
 (more efficient heat removal)

Cryostat (300K)

Coldmass (4K)

Heat Shield (80K)

Vacuum Space

Superconducting coils

Warm Iron Design

R. Gupta, BNL LARP Dipole R&D, LARP Collaboration Meeting, Port Jefferson, NY, September 17, 2003.

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## FY04 Action Items

- Until we prove differently, radiation damage is biggest concern
  - Conservative evaluation
  - Investigate possibility of experiments to measure limits
    - Materials
    - Superconductor
  - FY05 task will be to do tests
  - Need X % of Nikolai
    - User-friendly interface for aperture/magnet studies
- Conceptual studies to maximize effective aperture

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**Technology Development** is a key early part of the program, especially in the early phases.

## FY04 Action Items (cont'd)

- Heat Transfer of composite coils/cold mass
  - Experiments to verify input parameters for models. Big impact on design. Need the details.
  - Can we increase heat transfer of composite coils?
  - What is maximum allowed cryo load? Need a working number
  - Advantages (if any) of 1.8K operation
- Definition of the good field region for the dipoles that is more relevant for the aspect ratio of the beam.
- Build a quad ASAP
- Put together specifications and requirements book.

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# FY04 Magnet Program

- **Technology Development**

- Racetrack quad
- Support Structure R&D
  - **Evaluate bladder and key structure**
  - **Labor + most M&S supported by base programs**
- Heat transfer measurements

- **Dipoles**

- Mechanical analysis of BNL design
- Heat transfer modeling

- **Cable R&D**

- Keystoned cable
  - **Map parameter space, new techniques?**
- Evaluation
  - **Extracted strand measurements**
- Stress degradation measurements?

- **Quads**

- Dual-bore studies
- Racetrack quad evaluation



## Program Schedule

### Fermilab R&D program on LHC IR upgrade quadrupoles

FY2003-2007 - Conceptual Design Studies

FY2006-2010 – model magnet R&D

We start IRQ model R&D in FY06 with **simplified 1-m long models** (2-layer design) in order to develop basic tooling and infrastructure and start basic technology development.

- **FY2004 – conceptual design of IRQ model**
- **FY2005 – model and tooling design and procurement**

A series of short models will address the issues of magnet **quench performance**, **field quality**, **mechanics**, **quench protection**, **reproducibility**, **long term performance**, etc.

We will start studying **length dependent effects** with 4-m long coils, as soon as we achieve acceptable quench performance.

FY2010-2012 - Model R&D will be followed by the construction of one or more **prototypes** containing all of the **features required for use in the LHC**.



## Summary

- US LHC Accelerator Research Program has been launched.
- Magnet R&D for a luminosity upgrade will be the single biggest part of the LARP.
  - Fermilab will take the lead on quadrupole R&D.
  - Collaboration among the US labs will be crucial to success.
- The budget does not allow for the construction of model magnets until FY2006.
  - FY2004: mostly design studies.
  - FY2005: technology development experiments.  
parts and tooling for FY2006 models.
- Strong coordination with and support from the base Nb<sub>3</sub>Sn R&D programs will be essential for the success of LARP.